

MOB RIOTS OVER A RACE

French Enthusiasts Disappointed Because Favorite Horse Was Left at the Post.

**SURROUNDED BOOKIES
AND SEIZED MONEY**

Rougher Element Set Fire to
Booths and Cut Water
Hose—Troops Called Out
And Sixty Arrests Made

PARIS, Oct. 14.—There were violent public demonstrations at the Longchamps racecourse this afternoon, in consequence of an unsatisfactory start.

consequence of an accident in a free handicap. The trouble culminated in riots, puggs and incendiarism. Many persons are arrested.

The program comprised six races and the first two passed off without incident, there were nine starters in the free handicap, the next event, and following the favorite, were left at the post. Amid a terrific uproar a complete outsider won. The public immediately became enraged, broke down the barriers and invaded the track. Crows demanded the return of their bets. They surrounded the bookmakers' booths, chased out the cashiers and seized the money. Attempts to restore order were in vain, the small force of police present being inadequate. The crowd's anger increased and men began breaking chairs and throwing them on the track. Then a rougher element riddled some automobiles and seized some supplies of petroleum, with which they sprinkled the booths and other woodwork and set them afire.

The squad of firemen on duty were helpless, as the water hose had been cut. The authorities telephoned for assistance to Mount Vernon and a strong body of troops was at once sent up to the double quick. The soldiers succeeded in eventually clearing the enclosure by charging, but in the meantime the betting structures had burned to the ground. A large wooden building belonging to the bookmakers also was

A large force of troops will remain on duty throughout the night at the Longchamps automobile course.

IS GREATLY REDUCED
Postmaster Gives Out Advance
Statement of Receipts and

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Postmaster General Cortelyou has given out an advance statement of the receipts and expenditures of the postal service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1906. It shows a net gain of \$1,000,000.

The annual deficit from 1964 to 1965 was \$15,516,997, or 28 percent over the \$12,100,000 deficit in 1963. The total receipts in 1965 were \$167,933,783, an increase over 1965 of \$15,003,198, which is the greatest increase for any year in the history of the service. The per cent of increase in receipts for 1965 is 1988, as compared with 6.42 for 1964.

The total expenditures during 1965 were \$178,449,779, an increase of \$11,950,100 over 1963. The percentage of increase in expenditure is less than for a number of years and is smaller by one-third than the present per cent of increase during 1965.

EFFORTS TO TURN COLORADO RIVER Track Is Being Laid With Purpose

of Employing New Cement Gate.

YUMA, Ariz., Oct. 13.—The Cal

forma Development Company yesterday began laying track below the cement gate to the Colorado river with a view of utilizing this gate to turn the stream. The loss of the Rockwood gate cast a doubt on the possibility of turning the river at the lower intake, though a great effort will be made to do so at the same time, preparations are making for using the upper heading. The latter has the advantage of being on solid rock. The great dredger, being built at Yuma, will be in commission in ten days to begin the digging of a canal below the cement gate. A great increase of money and material has been ordered.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 14.—Philip Thompson, formerly credit man for W. Braun and company, wholesale druggists, and more recently employed by

The Life Insurance and Trust company as a bookkeeper, committed suicide some time Saturday by drinking a mixture of sulphuric acid and cyanide of potassium. He was found dead in his room at 297 North Broadway this afternoon. Thompson was a thirty-second degree Mason. Inability to quit drinking led him to self-destruction. Relations of the dead man live in Linden Corner, N. Y., and a brother, Everett Thompson, resides at Everett, Wash.

FROM CANNERY TO THE PULPIT

Rev. A. P. Brown Tells Story of His Life.

Concluding Discourse on the Series of Packing House Sermons.

Rev. Arthur P. Brown last evening concluded the series of sermons he has been delivering on the packing industry, with particular reference to the cannery. The subject was "From the Cannery to the Pulpit."

"I was left a little orphan by my father's death when but a babe. My mother had little money, and at six years of age I went to work as an errand boy of a new cannery factory near where we lived, in Greenwood, Ind. I had to always be on a stool ready for errands, and to go at the bidding of my proprietor any moment. My wages were ten cents a day. But in a year or so I was a can boy, putting the empty cans into boxes ready for the fillers, and for this I got twenty-five cents a day. But I liked the play too well, and one day I was turned off. The world looked very dark then, and I went home crying to tell my mother of my loss. She sent me back the next day to beg pardon for my carelessness, and to ask for another trial, which my uncle was kind enough to give me. I should say my uncle owned the cannery, but always treated me fairly like the average landlord not wishing me to be in any sense dependent on relationship for promotion, so I had to work my way as toilsome as any boy. I climbed from can boy to tray boy, from carrying trays at last to a check boy, giving out the checks for the buckets of corn as they came up to the silks, and running that machine for cleaning the corn. There was a certain fat Dutchman there, the fastest cutter we had, who was the terror of my life, for he loved to take me by the ears and butt my head by his hard skull till my head reeled. But I tried not to get mad, for to tell the truth, I had been reading my Bible a good deal those days and was trying secretly to live a Christian life, though not very successfully. I had the son of the proprietor and his daughter for my helpers at this machine, and quite felt my dignity to be hurt. I would hardly dare cross the line for fear he would be angry. But I did try to make a steady boy of him then, and did pretty well for a lad of thirteen. My wages here were seventy-five cents a day, big pay, I thought then.

"At the age of about fourteen I was put in charge of the first process of cooking, and minded the hot steam chest all day long. It was trying, steamy work, wet and unhealthy, and came near killing me off with colds and coughs. I would sweat in the steam all day and then go home in the cold night air. Life took on most tragic hues to those days, visions of death and accident haunted me, the death of an intimate friend at last threw me into a terrible walking, night-mare of death, that nothing could dispel. I seemed to realize the horror of going off into an unknown abyss of eternity, of sinking for thousands of miles into a blackness that had no bottom, to feel the dizzy sensation of endless falling helpless to save myself. I read my Bible and prayed till at last I saw that I must trust my Saviour to keep me even in such trying experiences. That we would deliver even from the fear of death.

"It was late that fall, after the main canning season had closed, and I was picking apples in the old apple orchard of my grandfather, that I made the great conversion, one day, and taking the John 3:24 promise, 'Verily, verily, I say unto you, if any man hear my word, and believe on Him that sent me, he shall have everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation, but is passed from death unto life.' That was my hour of release from burden. I trusted myself to God, took Him at his word and just rested at that. If any of you have any difficulty about the way to be saved, take the same way of faith. I was a Sunday school teacher at that time and so had no opportunity to go to church, neither had any one been talking religion to me save my mother, but in the reading of the word I found my Saviour. Then I felt happier, and soon was in school as I was each winter, but with new ambitions in my heart. I began to dream of going to college, of fitting myself for higher service. I will remember the struggles of mind I went through the next fall debating the question whether to go to college or not. I felt that if I went to college I must become a minister, but that if I stayed in the factory I would be able to climb to the top and perhaps hope some day to become a partner in the business. My uncle thought it folly for me to leave a good business for college, so I had no encouragement there. I used to walk those factory floors of a Sunday afternoon in an agony of realization that I was choosing for life which career I should follow. I well remember how I took a walk with my mother too and talked it all over in the old apple orchard, where I had decided for Christ, and that was a good place to decide for his ministry and a life-call as he had given it to me. At last I felt the call of God so loudly in my conscience that it permeated, and one Sunday afternoon I made up my mind that even what it might in hard study and toil, in sacrifice of money and business chances, I would follow the gleam and do the bidding of the soul, pay first attention to the Kingdom of God, and devote myself to others' saving and uplifting. Then it was easy to resign my work and start to college. But each Saturday I came back to work, and often had to get out Monday's lessons while standing at the steam chest, or late at night, after the day's work was over. For now I went to church and Sunday school on the Sunday, and found inspiration and help there for a Christian life. I had been so unhappy in trying to live a Christian life secretly, that in a few months after my surrender I had to fight the battle all over again and give up to come out into the open and confess my new-found faith. Many were the times when my face burned and I felt things to go forward and offer myself for baptism, and at last I got courage enough to do it, and was baptized in the creek that ran through the woods near the church. It was one of the happiest days of my life when I thus publicly acknowledged my Saviour, and felt that I had at last literally and implicitly obeyed his command in his own way, following in his footsteps. In trying to lead out faithful to my religion I carried with me the most precious and helpful message after I ate my lunch. It was of great help, too, always have some spiritual food with you when you feel faint.

"My coming out as a Christian and going to college seemed to wake me up and make me worth more in the factory, for I was advanced to more responsible positions, and in two or three years was at the head of the book-keeping work in the cannery, the final processing of all the fruit in the cans. This was such hot, trying work that I could hardly stand it, and what while trying to keep up my studies without out of college for a month, and with sorrows of death at home, I nearly lost my health and got in a deplorable state religiously, becoming cynical and bitter towards nearly everything. I can now sympathize better with over-worked people, for it has a disastrous effect on the spiritual life. I did not realize that my 'don't-care' reckless spirit came from an over-worked body and worried mind. I was so irritable that I discharged one man just because I couldn't bear his manner, but at last took him back when I saw I had made a mistake. But brighter days came, I got used to new responsibilities and at last in another year or so I could go singing to my work. I came back to the factory even after I had met and solved the question of the ministry and had graduated, this time, however, to the office rather than to the factory, to handling payrolls rather than dericks and crane, but I found that farmers were harder to keep friendly terms with than men and women at work. The last year I worked in the factory was as foreman over the tomato-peelers, about three hundred in the department.

"Here I found a fine field for the study of human nature, for the teaching of honesty and honor to some who tried to cheat, for suppressing bad language and bad actions. Our standards of order and deportment were as strict as in a Sunday school, and the use of profanity would discharge one as quickly as from a church, while on Sundays I tried to preach to the employees in an out-door meeting in their tented city, or camp. I do not know how much good I did them, but they did me a lot of good, and as a result of so many years of work right along with struggling men and women, boys and girls I got a sympathy and love for the plain working people that I shall never lose, and an insight into their character that makes me feel that as much of noble character and aspiration exists in the working class as in the capitalist class, that toil is not degrading, but that Christ and his religion can do as much for them as for the rich, and in fact, that there is more of true nobility to live up to the gospel among the workers than among some others.

"I had the great blessing of being under a Christian employer, who honestly tried to do business according to the Golden Rule, who would talk religion to his hands, and did it on occasion with a clear conscience, of whom none could say that he had ever deceived him. He was a man who gave the ex-convict just out of a jail, who had tried to ruin his business, a chance to work and redeem himself, thus putting into concrete the doctrine of forgiveness. He would send money to the sick, and perhaps keep some poor family on the payroll while the bread-winner was sick. He was ever ready to talk and joke with any hand, and to listen to any grievance that they might have. So he never had a serious strike in all his long career as employer, and at last came to admit his most trusted foreman and workers as profit-sharing partners in the business. He believed and taught me to believe, that religion was worth very little, if it didn't make better lives of those around us as well as ourselves. He wanted religion right in the factory and at last employed what might be called a face, factory pastor, who as social director, ran reading rooms, entertainments, religious services and socials in a big hall in the factory. Here the workmen had what they realized was done unselfishly for their elevation and spiritual good, but the more they received for nothing, the more they seemed to expect, and at last the Greenwood Social Institute had to be closed for lack of appreciation. The man who was social pastor is now one of our useful and honored pastors in this state.

"A great revival swept over that town a few years ago, since I left there and nearly 300 hundred professed conversion. This may have been one of the fruits of the social experiment, for the evangelists were brought there and entertained by my uncle at his home, and he was one of the leading spirits in the whole movement. But it was strongly tinged with the excessive stress on sanctification and finally became a propaganda for the views of A. B. Simpson and the Christian Alliance, and the final effect was to divide the church somewhat.

"Strange, but I sometimes get homesick to hear the old factory whistle, its sweetest music at evening time, and to the old familiar faces. Many of them have gone on to a brighter shore, for some way disease and death seemed ever present back there, and many have gone. But, oh, what joy to know that at least some were converted even and the work, and that some are ministers today, and some earnest Christian workers all over this land. God grant that many of our toilers in Fresno's factories may hear the blessed call and respond.

"God is calling now for his children to own and love him. He says to you tonight, 'My child, give me time heart, I can testify that I brought blessing, and a happy life to me to hear and obey, and that many who refused to hear it went from bad to worse. I'll play with whom I used to work, and some have become murderers, and some worse than that, because they would not heed or obey. Our paths have diverged far in the course of the years. You will hold out if you come to Him in faith; he will give needed help if you turn to Him for it. If you are unwilling to acknowledge or love or obey God now, how can you expect admittance to heaven, where the whole social life and occupation has to do with lovingly doing God's will and appreciating him in endless songs and lives of praise and service. If you want heaven now, or heaven hereafter, take heaven's laws of faith and love as the laws of your life tonight."

POTENTIALITY OF THE PRESS

A Ministerial View of Journalism, Its Good and Evil.

Rev. Queen Gives Large Credit to the Force of Editorial Opinion.

The pastor of the Congregational church, the Rev. Charles M. Queen, took for the pulpit to his evening sermon, "The Potentiality of the Press," his discourse being as follows:

"Of all human inventions it would not seem extravagant to speak of the printing press as the most potential in the growth of civilization. 'Many and strange inventions have engaged the attention of active minds. The mechanical genius of the race is prolific. The world is well supplied with results denoting the quaint, curious, wise and otherwise, channels in which the minds of men have labored in the hope of bringing forth something new in the crafts of the world. The inventive mind has been growing; nor has it found its limit. The government at Washington issues patents by the thousand yearly to men who fancy they have produced some—never dreamed of by any other.

"The evolution of the race was a long time passing the hydrophobic age and perfecting written characters by which communications could be made with ease. It was an achievement meaning growth of mind was accentuated. It precluded the production of books and scholars. Schools came into being and primitive colleges were instituted. These grew; orations were written out; narrative was born; history found a recording angel, and crums of thought were scattered for the nourishment of the intellects of men.

"When the press was born, the heavens when the printing press found its swarming clothes in the Gutenberg family four and a half centuries ago. Truly of the printing press in its infancy this could have been said. This child is set for the rise and fall of many in Israel! Men became the new Belshazzers. The shepherds of Germany found their way with speed to the danger where their new born child lay in humility. And the wise men came; they came from the east and from the west, and from the north and from the south, bringing gold, frankincense and myrrh, and presented them to the young child. Wisdom came; philosophy came; tragedy came; history came; science came; literature—and the world! And they keep coming! and they will keep coming through ages.

"The chimney child began to grow. Crude and ill-constructed were the early devices which opened the future glory. Out of its short dresses into knickerbockers, and then into larger garments, the growing press came, filling favor with God and man. The ill-made type, the unhandy presses, the badly-constructed aids to service, the poor paper, the imperfect ink, all yielded to refined and perfected instruments for the production of things of beauty and joy forever.

"Early Accomplishments. The press is a growing institution still. It started well. The beginning of any institution is prophetic of the days to follow. I say the press began right. The first book it gave to the world was a printed Bible, and the people began to spell out its meaning for themselves and to train themselves to think. It built its reputation upon what Gladstone called 'The Impregnable Rock.' Rooting itself in the wealth of Hebrew literature and in the approving minds of a hungry world, so tremendous was the expectations of its admirers and the adoration of the whole world, that it was continually surrounded with an atmosphere conducive to growth.

"The ability of the press to produce books, magazines and papers has gained an efficiency startling to any of us. The English speaking world prints above 10,000 new books annually. The same world prints about 25,000 journals, issuing millions of copies daily and weekly. From the press go six to ten million new Bibles for the world's illumination each year. No other illuminating force of the efficiency of the press in its ability to flood society with information. So common is it and taken by every one as a matter of course, that it does not appear as a marvel until our attention is called to its giant powers. It was here when we came into the world and we never thought to wonder; but it is a marvel, and when we are gone it will still perform its mission of wonder and marvel.

Information and Freedom.

"The press came in the fullness of time. The world was waiting for this prophet and when the prophet of the press appeared, its place began to be outlined by the crying need of the mind and the heart. Oppression, ignorance and superstition abounded. It brought light, and light suggested liberty. It gave information, and information directed toward freedom of thought. It turned the limelight of truth upon superstition and compelled superstition to fall back, giving place for sanity and certainty. The moral and religious mind of the people began to be revolutionized.

"From the beginning the sphere of the press was distinctly outlined, in obedience to which it spoke, instructing and comforting, informing and guiding, fortifying and equipping, refining and perfecting. When human need appeared, the press gave publicity to it. When a man with a message came along, the press joined him and multiplied his message. The people hungered for news and the press gathered it and handed it to them.

"The First Papers. 'It sent out weekly papers a century ago—a very few; but the growing intelligence of the people called for more papers, and demanded that they visit them oftener. Wise men saw the needs and the demands and organized daily papers, until now the press rings your door bell, handing in the news before breakfast, and the newsboy calls on you several times a day with special editions, and day by day the happenings of the world are made familiar to the people. This prophet has ever been on the increase with a larger heart and with a growing message and is filling the whole world.

Effective Journalism. "It has come to this that when we speak of the press we have in mind

mostly journalism, and in journalism we give first place to the daily papers. This place is granted, not because it represents the greatest and most effective type of journalism, but because it holds the first place in the sphere of effective journalism. It speaks directly to the people. It comes to them with the open secret of the social life of the world. The daily papers are like a yawning chasm and it feeds on whatever happens, being always full and yet ever empty. Its motto is publicity. It exists to tell things. Its obligation to the public demands things told as they happen.

"Yellow Sensationalism. 'There is a yellow journalism distorting things, entering to the sensational and putting a premium upon the vulgar, or anything exciting to the public mind. This sort of journalism is demanded by a class of persons entirely too large for the public weal; but so long as such sheets are clamored for they will be printed. Yet these papers are not in the majority. There is a creditable moral and intellectual sense which frowns upon this exciting, obnoxious, sensational method. The true press gives to the public the happenings of the day without making any special attempt to gain approbation from the vulgar classes. And it is to the credit of the English-speaking people that the majority of their papers are clean, carefully edited and true to the esthetic taste.

Its Potential Powers. "A brief study will reveal to any one the potentiality of the press. Enumerating some of the things and preventing them with no particular effort to classification, they are found to be:

"(1) That the press gives information. The news of the world is collected and put in readable form, and given to the people at a price so low they can afford the expense; or can they afford to go without the papers. Information opens the eyes. The people want to know.

"(2) That the press is a true mirror, reflecting public opinion. The public mind is given a chance to see and to read itself. It can study its commercial mindsets moral purpose, its religious heart through the columns of the press. This helps the people to keep themselves justly poised. Motives and reasons are balanced, and the public mind and conscience are kept sane.

"(3) That the press is a sentinel guarding the public weal. With its eagle eye turned in every direction men are held in check. Criminals are exposed; injustice is written up; secret conclaves are brought to light; everything perilous to the interests of the people is made known. It stands guard at the door of commerce; the homes of the land are under its flaming sword; its searchlight is upon government; its eye is every place, beholding the good and the evil.

"(4) That the press is a arena for the opinions upon vital questions. It thinks. Its sanity is of a superior nature. Its reasoning ability commands admiration. When it speaks, as it does, it has a respectful hearing. What it says upon any subject determines what many others will say upon the same subject. Thinking men are expected to do their own thinking, and they do; but there are a great many who are willing for someone else to do their thinking for them, and the editor's opinions are at a premium. Even thinking men do not hastily dismiss the opinions dispensed from the editor's sanctum.

"(5) That the press is a scale upon which all the commodities of the world are case that their values may be determined.

"(6) That the press is a judge passing sentence upon persons, places and things. Many an important court procedure has been programmed by the press. The evidence having been collected, the guilt or innocence having been fixed, the jury is instructed and the judge on the bench is advised. Sometimes the press makes important proceedings embarrassing because it has set in judgment upon the question and published its opinions. At this point the ethical nature of the press might suffer regeneration to the good of all; and yet there must not be forgotten this salvable feature, that the press' extra judicial or police power has secured the conviction of many who would otherwise have continued in their base criminality undisturbed.

"(7) That the press is essentially right upon all questions presented to the public. Ideally it has a long way to go, but essentially, it is within the radius of what is true, right, just and wholesome.

Missionary Influence. "The press is the world's greatest missionary. For the promotion of the work of evangelization it has made pos-

BOYD RESIGNED; RECONSIDERED

Sensation in First Presbyterian Church.

Failure of Congregation to Raise Church Debt Was the Occasion.

I have come to the saddest moment of my life. My resignation is now in the hands of the session. You will be dismissed with benediction. There will be no evening services.

With these words Dr. Thomas Boyd of the First Presbyterian church took the breath of his congregation yesterday morning. While he asked the worshippers to stand for benediction they were too surprised to respond. After pronouncing that blessing, the pastor retired to his study, and the congregation was left amazed. It was some moments before any one started to leave. Tears welled in the eyes of many of the women, and the men gathered in little groups to discuss the events of the morning that led to the hasty decision of the pastor to retire. It was a scene never before witnessed in a Fresno church. There were hopes that the pastor would reappear with some reassuring words, or at least to take leave of his parishioners, but the pastor did not emerge from his study. Slowly the congregation filed out and the subject of the pastor's resignation was discussed all the way home.

An appeal by Dr. Boyd to raise the church debt and an apocalyptic response precipitated the resignation. The pastor announced that he was leaving for the Presbytery in the morning and he desired to report that the Fresno church was free of debt. He reminded the congregation that an indebtedness of \$3500 had been hanging over the church for the last five years and he desired to leave it cleared before making his report at Presbytery. He seemed to feel that to report year after year the same debt on the Fresno church, reflected upon his pastorate. He announced that he had a subscription of \$100 to start the ball rolling. The responses from the congregation were not encouraging. A few offered small amounts, while others attached conditions to their giving. O. J. Woodward stated that if the congregation would raise \$3100, Mrs. Woodward would contribute the remaining \$400.

It was when there seemed no likelihood of raising the money that Dr. Boyd offered his resignation. It came like the traditional thunderbolt from the blue.

Although he announced that there would be an evening service, the members of the church could not well remain away and at the usual hour, fully 300 of the congregation were present in the Sunday school room. But the pastor was not there. In the pastor's study the elders were deliberating. They met at 7:30 and were in session for nearly two hours. Dr. Boyd met with them and the whole matter was gone into quite fully. The result was that at the urgent request of the elders, speaking for the members of the church, Dr. Boyd reconsidered and withdrew his resignation. The happy outcome spread quickly among the waiting church members and there was much rejoicing. A short service was sung, Dr. Boyd offering in prayer,

able a growth in heaven lands which could not otherwise be accomplished. In it society has gravitated for refuge. In it the civic rights of all have had a hearing and a protection. It has been the conservator of universal brotherhood. It has promoted peace. It has corrected superstition. It has discovered the solidarity of all human interests. It has preached the divine rights of the individual. It has spread the gospel of love, human sympathy and the divinity of humanity in all the earth. It has been, is now and will continue the friend of the race.

"Because of its evangelism, monarchies will cease, oppressors will be brought to judgment, tyranny will be compelled to read the handwriting upon the walls of justice and liberty, freedom, fraternity and morality will make the way plain for all men, everywhere, to find the kingdom of righteousness and the home of love."

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thanks for the spirit of harmony that had prevailed. After shaking hands with the pastor, all went home happy. Dr. Boyd stated afterward that the financial matter referred to by him was only the occasion and not the consideration for his offering his resignation. "I only felt," he said, "that perhaps the time had come when some one else could take charge of this church and do what I have not been able to do. This matter of finances was only an incident."

Dr. Boyd said that the money question was not referred to at all in the conference with the elders, and no promises were made to induce him to change his mind. Mr. Boyd leaves this morning for Woodbridge to attend the Presbytery and thence goes to San Rafael to attend the synod. He will be away about ten days.

REV. A. W. HARE TO BE STATE EVANGELIST

Former Fresno Pastor Is Selected By State Association for Field Work.

The Rev. Alfred W. Hare, formerly pastor of the Fresno Congregational church and now in charge of the church at Santa Cruz, has been selected by the State Association of Congregational churches to fill the position of state evangelist. Mr. Hare will remain with the Santa Cruz pastorate until the end of the year, a committee having been appointed to take in hand the matter of selecting his successor.

The appointment now given Mr. Hare was decided upon at the recent meeting of the State association at Santa Cruz. The evangelistic committee of the State association has been anxious for some time to have a man in the field representing the association who could visit isolated churches and be with them for weeks at a time in series of special services. Mr. Hare's qualifications for the work were recognized by the committee. He has had many years of work in that field of endeavor, having been trained in the Moody Institute and also having been in charge of rescue work in Chicago and elsewhere. He has also the necessary qualification of being a graduate of the Pacific Theological seminary. In addition to this, he is a gifted gospel singer, while his ability as a preacher places him in high rank in the church in California.

The Santa Cruz papers say that members of Mr. Hare's church are unwilling to part with him but have been brought to make the sacrifice by being convinced that the state's need is greater than theirs. To his former parishioners in Fresno the news of Mr. Hare's selection for this important work has been received with universal expressions of satisfaction.

MADERA PIONEER DIED HERE LAST NIGHT

A. G. Ellis, Father of Supervisor Ellis, Passes Away from Infirmities of Age.

A. G. Ellis, a pioneer resident of Madera who came to this city for medical treatment some time ago, died last night at the Burnett sanitarium from senile decay.

The dead man was an old time citizen of that place and was highly respected. He leaves five sons and two daughters. One of his sons is Supervisor W. A. Ellis of Madera.

Coming to this state a quarter of a century ago, Mr. Ellis settled in Madera sixteen years ago. His health began to fail a few weeks ago, and although fearing that his life was closing in view of his advanced age of 77 years, his relatives sent him to this city for treatment with a forlorn hope of prolonging his years. Despite every care, he sank and quietly passed away last night.

The remains will be shipped to Madera for interment in the family lot today after being prepared by Stephens & Bean.

Important. I. S. Knight, real estate and insurance, can be found at 1162 J St., with F. M. Chittenden & Co., where he will be pleased to meet his many friends.

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FRESNO WINS BOTH GAMES FROM PORTLAND

BY SHUTTING OUT THE WEBFEET IN THE FIRST GAME AND WALLOPING MCCREDIE ALL OVER THE LOT IN THE SECOND, FRESNO CAME OUT VICTORIOUS IN BOTH THE CONTESTS AT RECREATION PARK YESTERDAY AFTERNOON. BOTH GAMES, ESPECIALLY THE FIRST ONE, WERE EXHIBITIONS OF VERY GOOD BASE-BALL AND THE FAST FELDING STUNTS PULLED OFF BY THE RAISIN EATERS BROUGHT THE FANS TO THEIR FEET AGAIN AND AGAIN. THE SCORE OF THE FIRST GAME WAS 1 TO 0, AND THE SCORE OF THE SECOND GAME 4 TO 2.

PORTLAND SHUT OUT IN FIRST GAME

Fresno Fielders Play Fast Ball—Casey Star of Infield.

The good work of McGreggie in the box, backed up by the fastest fielding seen here this season, shut out the Webfeet completely in the first game. Fresno scored one run in the fifth inning. Dashiwood walking and scoring on Casey's two-bagger to right. McGreggie was found for six hits, but no one was able to cross the plate, so alert were the fielders. Gunn pitched a good game, being found for only four scattered hits.

Mellale got a hit in the first inning but no one was able to find McGreggie for anything that would score him and he died on the first sack. An error by Truck Egan was nearly responsible for a score by the Webfeet in the second inning. Smith knocked a ball to the center of the diamond and McGreggie fumbled it, allowing Jud to land safe. Then Warner hit a slow ball to Truck. Truck was a while, and he held the ball a while. When he did throw it, it went about a half mile above Cartwright's head and Smith started on a race for the rubber. Cartwright ran after the ball and got it in time to throw Smith out at the plate. A pretty double was pulled off by Casey in the next inning. Gunn hit to the middle of the diamond and beat the ball to first. Sweeney followed with a hot line drive to second. Casey jumped up and glommed it and tagged Gunn out and threw Sweeney out at first, all in one second. Mellale got a hit to left immediately afterwards, and stole second but died there.

Casey again prevented a score in the sixth inning. Mellale had got a hit to right and stolen second, when Schimpf came to the bat. Arthur knocked a hit line drive between first and second and Pearl jumped up and made a one-handed catch.

Carson found McGreggie for a safe hit in the seventh but again a double play ended the hopes of the fans for a score. Lister knocked a ball to Casey and both Carson and Lister went out on a double from Casey to Delmas to Cartwright.

"Bull" Perrine started something in the eighth. Gunn hit a ball to the ground in front of the plate and Dashiwood went after it. He changed his mind, however, and let it roll foul. Perrine didn't see that Dashiwood had not touched the ball, and declared Gunn safe at first. Sweeney sacrificed him to second but he went out at third on Casey's slow ball to Truck. Mellale, who had been successful in stealing second three times, tried again but Dashiwood was too quick for him this time and got him out on the second bag. McGreggie caught looked like a two-bagger in the ninth.

Fresno scored her only run in the fifth inning. Dashiwood walked until the "Popin Kid" had passed him four wide ones and ambled to the first sack. Cartwright sacrificed him to second and he came home on Casey's two-bagger to right field.

The score:

PORTLAND									
A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Sweeney, ss.	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Mellale, cf.	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schimpf, 1b.	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
McGreggie, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, 2b.	4	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Warner, 3b.	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Carson, c.	3	0	1	0	5	3	0	0	0
Lister, 1b.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gunn, p.	3	0	2	0	1	2	0	0	0
Totals	30	0	8	3	24	9	0	0	0

FRESNO

A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Casey, 2b.	3	0	1	0	2	5	0	0	0
Doyle, cf.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walters, 1b.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McLaughlin, 1b.	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Egan, 3b.	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Delmas, ss.	3	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0
Dashiwood, c.	2	1	0	0	5	3	0	0	0
Cartwright, 1b.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hogan, 1b.	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0
McGreggie, p.	3	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0
Totals	24	1	4	0	27	17	2	0	0

Score by innings:

Portland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fresno	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
Summary: Sweeney, McGreggie, Casey, Dashiwood, first base on balls—Off McGreggie, 1; off Gunn, 4. Struck out—By McGreggie, 4; by Gunn, 2. Left on bases—Portland, 5; Fresno, 5. Double plays—Casey unassisted; Casey to Delmas to Hogan. Time of game—1:35. Umpire—Perrine.										

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INDIAN DIDN'T HAVE ANYTHING

But Neither Did McCredie, So Fresno Won Second Game.

Jaquinna Robbins, the wonder of Leanoors, the original Red Skin twister, didn't make good yesterday. And the local fans are of the opinion that Mike Walsh is a good player, but the water at Leanoors is too shallow for any big fish. Robbins pitched only one inning and let in two runs. Mike wanted to take him out before the inning was finished, but the fact that McCredie was on the firing line for the Webfeet gave him hope and he let his new-found wonder pitch the inning through.

Sweeney hit a ball to Robbins and the Indian got it to first in time to cut him off. Mellale waited for one in the groove and swatted it to the left field fence, reaching third before the ball was returned. Schimpf knocked the first ball delivered to the same spot and Mellale scored. Schimpf went second on a wild pitch that shook the foundations of the grandstand. McCredie hit to Delmas and Bert made a bad peg to first, allowing Schimpf to score. Smith walked, but both he and McCredie were caught by Happy while trying to steal second.

Harry Walters was put on the slab after that exhibition was over and the Webfeet scored no more. Truog was put in right field to take his place, but dropped a easy high fly in the second and Dashiwood was put in his place and Cartwright reinstated at first. With this line-up Portland was unable to get any more men over the plate. Walters pitched great ball. His weak ankle made him wild at times, but he was steady enough to keep any men from crossing the plate.

McCredie was on the firing line for Portland and the Raisin Eaters fattened up their averages from what he dished up. Fresno made her four runs in the second and third innings. Delmas got a hit to third in the second and went second on Dashiwood's slow ball to first and scored on Hogan's long fly to the center garden.

Casey led off the third inning with a hit to right and was sacrificed to second by Doyle. He scored on Walters' two-bagger to center and Walters scored on McCredie's single to left. McCredie stole second and crossed the rubber on Delmas' hit to right field. Bert tried to stretch his hit to a two-bagger and went out at second, stopping the scoring.

The score:

PORTLAND									
A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Sweeney, ss.	2	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Mellale, cf.	2	0	1	0	4	0	0	0	0
Schimpf, 1b.	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
McCredie, p.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, 2b.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Warner, 3b.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Carson, c.	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lister, 1b.	1	0	0	0	5	1	0	0	0
Gunn, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	2	3	1	12	8	0	0	0

FRESNO

A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Casey, 2b.	2	1	0	0	4	2	0	0	0
Doyle, cf.	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0
Walters, 1b.	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
McLaughlin, 1b.	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Egan, 3b.	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Delmas, ss.	2	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0
Dashiwood, 1b.	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hogan, c.	2	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0
Robbins, 1b.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Truog, 1b.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cartwright, 1b.	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Totals	17	4	8	1	15	10	2	0	0

Score by innings:

Portland	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Fresno	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
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LOS ANGELES, Oct. 14.—Seattle won today, the Northerners defeating Los Angeles by a score of 7 to 2. The game abounded in errors, the Angels making four and the visitors three. Vickers pitching puzzled the locals a bit. He struck out seven men, while Burns failed to retire a single Swish at the bat. The score:

LOS ANGELES									
A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Bernard, cf.	4	1	1	0	5	0	0	0	0
Nagle, 1b.	5	0	0	0	2	6	1	0	0
Cravath, 1b.	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Brashner, 3b.	4	0	1	0	3	2	0	0	0
Dillon, 1b.	3	0	0	0	9	1	0	0	0
Carroll, 1b.	3	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Toman, 2b.	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Eager, c.	3	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0
Burns, p.	4	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Totals	33	2	5	0	27	14	2	0	0

SEATTLE

A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Kane, 2b.	5	1	2	2	2	3	1	0	0
Van Buren, cf.	4	3	2	1	2	0	0	0	0
Blankenship, c.	4	1	2	0	7	0	0	0	0
Householder, 1b.	5	2	1	1	3	0	0	0	0
Crall, 1b.	4	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sterett, 1b.	4	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0
Smith, 3b.	4	0	6	0	4	0	0	0	0
McKune, ss.	4	0	1	0	2	4	0	0	0
Vickers, p.	4	0	0	0	1	6	0	0	0
Totals	33	7	11	4	27	7	3	0	0

SCOTTS BLUFF, KANSAS

A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Los Angeles	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	1	0

Seattle 10-2 000 4 00-7
Base hits 1 1 3 1 0 0 3 1 1-11

SUMMARY

Two base hit—Brashner. First base on errors—Los Angeles, 1; Seattle, 1. Left on bases—Los Angeles, 8; Seattle, 5. Bases on balls—Off Vickers, 4. Struck out by Vickers, 7. Double plays—Kane to McKune to Sterett; Toman to Nagle to Dillon. Wild pitches—Vickers, 1; Burns, 2. Hit by pitched ball—Blankenship, Eager, Van Buren. Time of game—1:55. Umpire Mahaffey.

OAKLAND, Oct. 14.—Oakland took a double header from San Francisco today. The morning game was a hard fought pitchers battle for thirteen innings. The winning run was scored by Graham.

Graham's pitching and two errors by San Francisco in the eighth inning gave the afternoon game to Oakland. Score:

MORNING GAME									
A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Frisco	101	000	000	000	001	3	6	1	0
Oakland	001	100	000	000	001	3	6	1	0

Batteries—Meyers, Hitt and Spiess; Reilly and Hackett.

AFTERNOON GAME

AFTERNOON GAME									
A.B.R.H.S.B.O.A.E.									
Frisco	000	000	000	001	2	6	7	1	0
Oakland	000	100	010	03X	5	7	1	0	0

Batteries—Hackett and Wilson; Graham and Hackett. Umpire, Derrick.

STATE LEAGUE

STOCKTON, Oct. 14.—Stockton won today's game from Oakland, making three runs in the first inning. Stanger, home run was the feature of an otherwise dull game. Henderson, the Portland pitcher, was on the slab for Stockton, and was in fine form. Score:

R. H. E.									
Stockton	5	9	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakland	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Batteries—Henderson and Donohue; Pierce and Vulgaris.

SEES THIEF TAKE WATCH AND PURSE

Mike Walsh Is Awakened By Crook Entering Room and Robbing Him in Lodging House.

A thief entered the room of Mike Walsh, a well known lumberman, in a rooming house above the Lafayette saloon yesterday morning at an early hour, taking from the pockets of his clothes a valuable gold watch and a camera leather money bag containing a few dollars in change. The crook has not been caught.

Mr. Walsh arrived from the foothills on the preceding night at a late hour and engaged a room at the lodging house. When he retired he left his watch, valued at more than \$100, in his pocket, and had the change in the Bible bag in his trouser pocket. His clothing was laid out in a chair at the foot of the bed, but other valuables and money were laid under his pillow and escaped the attention of the intruder.

At an early hour, shortly after day-break, the sleeper was disturbed by someone entering his room. Thinking that it was somebody that he knew, Walsh simply turned over in his sleep and took no notice, but a few minutes later was again disturbed by the fellow prowling around the room on tiptoe. He raised himself up on his elbows and then saw the man take something from the pockets and slip quietly out of the room. Walsh at once jumped out after him, although half asleep, but was unable to follow him over the house without clothing. He is, however, positive that the thief did not leave the house immediately.

The police were notified and investigated the case. It is only one month ago that a hotel man lost a gold watch in some inexplicable manner in the same locality. His watch was never recovered.

FURNITURE RATES SAID TO BE EXCESSIVE

Minimum Car Load Weight from North California to Pacific Coast Complained Against.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—A complaint has been made to the interstate commerce commission by the North California case makers' association, whose membership consists of firms engaged in the manufacture and sale of furniture, against many lines of railroad in the West and Northwest, because of alleged unjust and discriminatory charges for the transportation of furniture, especially from High Point, N. C., and Danville, Va., to the Pacific coast terminal points.

The complainants declare that the railroads charge them \$1.70 per 100 pounds to carry furniture from the North California territory to Pacific coast points and insist upon a minimum carload weight of 20,000 pounds, whereas they claim to be able to put into a car only 12,000 pounds of furniture. They insist, therefore, that the rates are unreasonable and ask the commission to issue an order requiring the railroads to limit their six feet carload lots of furniture to 12,000 pounds.

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LOS ANGELES, Oct. 14.—It is reported from Morelia in the state of Michoacan, that that section is still being devastated by floods. In some places crops have been swept away. Bridges are gone, and hundreds of cattle have perished. A cloudburst occurred in the neighborhood of Galeman, close to the Pacific, and the waters rose three meters high in the streets of the village, destroying many of the houses that were of adobe. Families are completely destitute and are without food and shelter. A fever has broken out, due to the decaying bodies of animals.

The small town of Zolotillo in the southern part of Jalisco, was almost destroyed. During the two days and nights that the rain fell the volcano of Colima began to emit long tongues of flame and slight earthquake shocks were experienced. It

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"THE LIVING GOD."

Senator Emmons yesterday delivered an address to his fellow-prisoners in the Sacramento jail on "There is a Living God." We have not the text of the address, but it must have been one of more than ordinary impressiveness. Senator Emmons is an intelligent and eloquent man, and he is himself just now the most striking public example in California of the wrath of the living God. If he poured forth even a small part of the truth which these months of disgrace must have burned into his soul, it would be a revelation of surpassing interest.

"The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handiwork," but it is in the heart of man that the life of God is manifest. God breathes across the firmament, and from out the solvent ether condensed the star-mist of the Galaxy. But God breathed into the nostrils of man the breath of life, and man became a living soul, custodian of the only thing in the universe greater than the universe—the Mind which comprehends it. The same force that moves the universe works in the body of man; the same Truth, which is the law of the universe, illumines the mind of man; but it is the Living God that speaks to the conscience of man "Thou shalt" and "Thou shalt not." So we search the world for Force and our own thought for Truth; but in the victories of light and the tragedies of wrong we come to know the Living God.

This is the message of that wrecked life spoken in the Sacramento jail. E. J. Emmons started out with many of the elements of success. Intelligence, education, courage, resourcefulness, ambition, and a personality that made friends was his. He was not a success at the bar, but he won cases. He was not a success in politics, but he got offices. He was not a success in business, but he made money. What he won by ability he lost by untrustworthiness; what he might have gained by diligence and ambition he lost by selfishness. Thinking more of himself than of his clients or constituents, he lost the regard of both, and earned general distrust long before he became a proved criminal. Drink added its curse, and the life which once crime wrecked had already gone far astray. Finally came the betrayal of a public trust for bribe, exposure, disgrace and punishment. By a quibble of the law, Emmons is for the time being technically a free man. He is a voluntary prisoner, held by no lock or key in the Sacramento jail. But he is a visible example of the wreck of wrong. We do not know how good a sermon he preached on "There is a Living God." But he has lived a sermon on that subject whose lesson will outlast his life.

COOLIES AND UNIONS.

Congressman Hayes had a peculiar and illuminating experience the other day. He had been opposing Japanese immigration and made a speech to this effect before an audience of orchardists, who had been employing Japanese and wanted more of them. He found his audience outspoken in hostility, and some of them replied to his contention with the remarkable argument, that if they should employ white labor, even if they could get it, there would soon be a prime-pickers' union. That argument, it was assumed, was conclusive.

It is perhaps well to be reminded once in a while of what the people really think, as distinguished from what they are supposed to think. And it is a blunt fact that the farmers of California believe in Chinese and Japanese immigration and are opposed to labor unions. No public speaker in California would dare say this, and no political platform would dare express these opinions. Both political conventions in California adopted by unanimous vote planks against Oriental immigration and in favor of labor unions. Both parties will continue to declare these attitudes. For parties are more afraid of losing votes than they are eager to gain them. The farmers have got used to the traditional utterances on Chinese and unions, and no farmers' votes are to be lost by repeating them. But the whole "labor vote" would be lost to any party suggesting any relaxation of the exclusion laws, or any opposition to unions. So anti-coolie and pro-union policies may be counted as permanent, so far as the official pronouncements of California parties go. But there is no need to blind ourselves to the fact that our people are by no means so unanimous in their private sentiments as they are in their public utterances.

The farmers are unquestionably wrong, however sincere they may be, in these common views. Nothing worse could happen to the farmers of California than unrestricted coolie immigration. And few things would do them more good than a properly organized fruit pickers' union. A large coolie population would mean the abolition of the small farm and the independent farmer. It would mean, a little later, a completely un-American civilization, based on aristocracy, with no room in it for any white man but the aristocrat. A properly organized union of white fruit pickers, on the other hand, would mean a properly distributed supply of labor. As it is now, there are never enough laborers except when there are a great deal too many. The system of distribution is so wasteful that it takes a large surplus scattered everywhere to make any surplus anywhere. A proper organization could bring the

laborers and the jobs intelligently together, and there would never be any labor famine except when there are really too few workers, all told, to do the work.

PROTECTION IF WE WANT IT

A contemporary says: "When boasting about the tariff on raising the Republicans never mention that it was under a Republican administration that Zante currents were put on the free list. Neither do the Democrats mention that it was during the time when this district, with Fresno's help, foolishly permitted itself to be represented by a Democrat in congress. It is only under a Republican administration that we can expect to get protection at all, since the Democratic party is openly against protection. And we can not expect protection for our local product even from a Republican administration unless we indicate that we want protection. Certainly Illinois and New York are not going to worry about protection on raisins if we do not. If we want raisins or currents on the free list, they are willing. And when we said by our votes that this was what we wanted, we got it. We have never voted that way since, and we are not going to. We have sent a protectionist Republican to congress, and kept him there until he is on the tariff committee. We are going to keep him there."

TAKES UP OLD PARTY

Stolypin Will Favor October-ists in Election.

Twenty-Four Members of First Russian Parliament Are in Prison.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 14.—The League of Octoberists has been adopted by Premier Stolypin as the governing party, and to it all the strength of the administration will be turned in the coming elections.

The premier's personal organ, the *Rossia*, in a leading article today, renounces the idea of the formation of an independent government party, and hails the Octoberists as the real constitutional and liberal organization, in whose platform the friends of peaceful regeneration will find the expression of their sincerest hopes.

Statistics of drunkenness courts martial show there were 182 executions during the first month of their existence, and that the daily average of executions is now higher.

Sixteen men were executed yesterday. A majority of the sentences passed and executed are not for political crimes, but for highway robbery and train robbery, but five in streets and murder, all of which have flourished under the demoralization attending the revolution.

NEGRO COLLEGE IS DYNAMITED

Colored President of the Institution Made Himself Objectionable to the White People.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Oct. 14.—A special to the State from Anderson says: Word was received here today from Seneca that a negro college, a negro institution there, was blown up by dynamite about midnight last night. Rev. J. F. Williams, a negro, is president of the college, and it is supported by northern white people. He went to Seneca from Abbeville several years ago, and it is said, has made himself objectionable to the white people. He advised the negroes not to work for the white people. A warning was sent him several weeks ago, advising him to leave Seneca, but he ignored it.

Dynamite cartridges were placed under each corner of the college building last night, and when the clock struck midnight the dynamite was exploded, partially wrecking the building.

BECOMING A MINISTER. HE REPENTED DESERTION

Contrite Sailor Found, However, that He Could Not Be Tried for Crime.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.—Rev. James R. Shlayton, Jr., presented himself to the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and asked that he be arrested for deserting the navy five years ago. Shlayton said that his conversion to religion and service as a minister of the gospel caused him to see the wrong he had done in leaving the service and he requested that he be tried for the crime. Mr. Newberry referred Shlayton to the navy yard officials.

At the navy yard the commandant told Shlayton he could not be held because of the statute of limitation. Shlayton left the navy yard with Brigadier Little of the Salvation Army, and together they conducted a meeting on the ground of his misfortune.

Shlayton was arrested at Myersdale, Pa., but escaped from the officer and came to Washington to surrender. He explained to the officers at the Navy Department that he is a regularly ordained minister in the Evangelical Association and has charge at Myersdale. It is charged by Shlayton that a woman in Cleveland, who is jealous of him and was angry because of his recent marriage to another woman caused the detectives to pursue him.

SHOT PHYSICIAN FOR MALPRACTICE

CINCINNATI, Oct. 14.—Because she alleged Mrs. Ada Mahaffy's health had been ruined by medicine prescribed by Dr. Fred W. Kolthoff, a physician of Covington, Mr. Mahaffy today shot and mortally wounded Dr. Kolthoff.

FORECAST OF COMING WEEK

Hughes and Hearst on Speech Making Tours.

Religious Crisis in Spain Will Reach a More Acute Form.

The political campaign has become more active and more interesting during the past week and promises to be still livelier from now on to election day. In New York state Charles F. Hughes and William Randolph Hearst will continue their speech-making tours of the state. Speeches in New York state will be made during the week also by Speaker Cannon, Secretary Root and Secretary Shaw.

In Massachusetts, John B. Murnigh has accepted the Democratic nomination for governor, and the campaign should open in earnest in that state.

On Tuesday the annual convention of the American Bankers' association will be called to order at St. Louis. The bankers will be in session for three days and a number of important papers on financial subjects will be read during the convention.

On Friday the appeal of Rev. Dr. Algernon Sydney Crapsey in the court of review of the Protestant Episcopal church will be heard at Rochester, N. Y. Dr. Crapsey appealed from the decision of a diocesan court, which found him guilty of teaching doctrines contrary to the faith of the Protestant Episcopal church.

The annual conference of Friends of the Indian and other dependent peoples will be opened at Lake Mohonk, N. Y., on Wednesday and continue the following day.

The long-standing religious question in Spain will reach a more acute form upon the re-assembling of the Cortes, Oct. 20th, when a clash between the Vatican and the Liberal government of Premier Durrutien is predicted. While the actual question of separation of church and state in Spain is not to be raised immediately, the program of the Liberals is anti-clerical throughout and, if successful, may lead to an open fight for the severance of the ties existing between the Vatican and Spain.

The points at issue are the control of the cemeteries, civil marriages, public education and the prominent question relating to religious congregations not included in the concordant of 1831.

The religious marriage of Bertha Krupp, the richest heiress in Germany and the owner of the great Krupp steel works, to Lieut. Gustav Von Bolling-Hubach, who until recently was first secretary to the German legation at Peking, will be celebrated at Essen, Oct. 15th. Emperor William will attend the wedding. On the day of the ceremony \$150,000 will be distributed among the employees of the Krupp works.

MURDERED A FAMILY

Four Were Found Clubbed to Death.

Farmer Arrested on Charge of Destroying People He Had Dealt With.

HOUSTON, Mo., Oct. 14.—Barney Parsons, a farmer, his wife and three children, aged 11, 4 and 1 years, were murdered Friday near Licking, Mo. A farmer named John Hamilton, aged 20, has been arrested, charged with the murder, and is said to have confessed.

The body of Parsons' wife was shot to death and the mother and three children had been clubbed to death. Parsons had sold his farm crops to Hamilton, and it is alleged that the men quarreled over the terms of the sale.

SEVENTEEN BALLOONS START IN CUP RACE

One Hundred Thousand Persons Assembled to Witness the Ascent Near Berlin.

BERLIN, Oct. 14.—In a breeze blowing fifteen miles an hour, seventeen balloons started today in the international race for the cup of Emperor William. The balloons were sent up from within an enclosure at Tegau, six miles northward of Berlin, where arrangements had been made to inflate ten of the balloons simultaneously in an hour and a half. The adjacent fields were crowded with thousands of automobiles and carriages and fully 100,000 persons assembled to see the race. The starters were officers of the army balloon corps. The balloons themselves were cast off by non-commissioned officers. The great awaying yellow coverings could be seen for miles as one approached Tegau and made a show altogether unique for the most of observers.

The first balloon to start was the Helios, Vienna Aerial club, Dr. Schleim.

At five minute intervals the others were started. The victory will go to the cleverest hand of ballast.

WOMEN WERE VICTIMS OF FAMER FIRE

HONGKONG, Oct. 14.—A majority of the victims in the burning of the Hankow were women. The company owning the Hankow lost three other steamers during the recent typhoon.

EURICA, Oct. 14.—Steamers Roanoke and Scotia are inside the bay, blowing signals of distress. A heavy fog hangs over the entrance. A tug and launches have gone down the bay in response to the distress signals.

GILLET'S BIG AUDIENCE AT SAN DIEGO

Hell Fled from Comparison of Strength With His Two Opponents.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 13.—In the exhibition of their triumph in the election in the hearts of San Diego's Republicans tonight. Their standard-bearer met a flank movement of the enemy and spread dismay in the enemy's ranks. But while Gillett drew a crowd of three thousand against a cheerless three hundred that went to hear Langdon, the disappointment is keen because Bell canceled his engagement to speak in this city tonight. The Republicans would have enjoyed a three-cornered fight of the candidates.

But the Democratic nominee fled to the hills. San Diego's place particularly emphasizes on the word "fled." Langdon declared on his word as a scholar and a gentleman that throughout the campaign he has put the Democratic nominee to shame in attendance and enthusiasm of meetings. Wherever San Francisco's District Attorney has announced Bell as the creature of the bosses and the Southern Pacific, which he does every time he gets a chance to talk, he has had hundreds of voters to hear him, he says, against every time that the Democratic nominee could induce a listener to his ranting of Horat and Herrin.

Langdon is faithful, pity it is that Bell has undertaken to be a candidate for governor. The independent League numbered the auditors at once. Langdon last night and tonight 300 responded to the noisy advertising. What is left of Bell, according to the district attorney's ratio of ten to one, clarity would forbid to mention. The testimony of the crowds and the attitude they display certainly indicates that the southland is strong for Gillett. The meeting tonight was greater than even those which have been held in Ocean Park and San Bernardino. George A. Knight was with the standard bearer, and of course that helped a great deal. But distinctive conservatism was manifested for "Jim" Gillett, the man known by the vast and wide south. Stirred by the vast audience before him Gillett rose to the occasion and made excellent remarks.

Former Senator Ward was the chairman of the evening and he spoke in commendation of the legislative career of the candidate. He assured the assembly that "Gillett would make the strongest and best governor the state of California has ever had."

Candidate Gillett in his address made merry at the expense of Bell and his proclamings that the state would go to the bow-wows if he is not elected governor. The labor question was next discussed by him, and his legislative record on labor matters related in proving the soundness of the charges that his enemies have been circulating. Pure food legislation, over which Gillett is very earnest, was urged in furtherance of the enactments of congress. Irrigation, he promised, would receive important consideration by his administration. He closed with the declaration that he was independent of the bosses and of any corporate influence and that he would be the governor of all the people and of all the state.

Knight refrained largely from the personalities he engaged in last night at San Bernardino, and confined himself to national issues. He was nevertheless entertaining, and democracy in general was severely scored. Knight predicted that least would be the nominee of the Democracy for president two years hence and that Bell would then be only too eager to get on the band wagon. "But least will kick him off, as he ought to do," was the further assurance.

As to Bell, Knight declared that it would require a surgical operation to get an idea into his head. "If Bell will lie to get office he will be dishonest when he gets into office," said Knight. "He will accept bribes, he will be corrupt. And I say that Bell when he declares that Gillett is the tool of the Southern Pacific or any other corporation, he lies when he says that Gillett went to interview Herrin in regard to the nomination. I was the one who had the interview. I told Herrin that we would nominate Gillett in suite of him and we did it."

Martin Madden of the San Francisco Call.

MONEY LENDER'S MONEY GOES TO THE POOR

Widow Disposes of Princely Property in Accordance With His Will.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—By the death today of Mr. "Sam" Lewis Hill, widow of "Sam" Lewis Hill, well-known money lender, about \$15,000,000 will be distributed. The charitable bequests, in accordance with the will of "Sam" Lewis, who died in 1901, his whole fortune was left to his widow for life, besides which she was given outright \$5,000,000, each of which presumably will go to her second husband, Lieutenant Hill, of the Scots Guards.

The King's Hospital fund comes in for a large sum. Besides a specific amount, \$1,250,000, the hospital gets about \$2,000,000 out of the residue of the estate. About \$7,000,000 goes to establish dwellings for the poor, the sum of \$15,000,000 is devoted to the relief of the Jewish poor and Jewish hospitals and colleges, and \$875,000 goes to other hospitals, while a number of other charities get good legacies.

Lewis was the most famous man in England in his business. His transactions were enormous and his clients were among the highest personages in the land. He was shrewd and hard, but absolutely honest. He used to say his motto was, "I lend to the lord and give to the poor and it is now claimed that his princely bequests seem to prove the truth of his words."

Truxton Beale Accepts. BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 14.—It is reported tonight that the Republican county central committee has received the acceptance of Truxton Beale's nomination for state senator from the Thirty-second district. Beale declared his refusal immediately after receiving the nomination, but flattering promises of support caused him to change his mind.

NEW YORK, Oct. 14.—Two persons were killed, one injured and many others slightly hurt in a small fire, supposed to be of incendiary origin, in a five-story negro tenement house on Christopher street today.

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SMUGGLING INTO POLAND

Stocks of Arms Obtained By Revolutionists.

Systematic Bribery of Frontier Guards Has Been Resorted To.

WARSAW, Oct. 14.—A consignment of several thousand revolvers purchased by the Russian government in Berlin, recently fell into the hands of the Polish revolutionists. Shortly after the arrival of the consignment the pistols at the Warsaw freight yards, an artillery officer and a squad of soldiers appeared and presented the bills of lading and an authorization to receive the weapons, which were loaded upon a wagon and carried away. It later developed that the soldiers were disguised revolutionists and the documents forged.

Investigation shows that since last December the revolutionists have been accumulating large stocks of rifles and revolvers in Poland, the greater part of these according to a member of the party being purchased in Berlin, where the agents, well supplied with money from the proceeds of recent robberies and forced contributions, are able to pay cash for weapons of the latest pattern. The consignment, it is said, have several times been shipped by railroads in bond to Warsaw, the buyers arranging by bribing railroad employees to have the car sidetracked at some convenient place on the Russian side of the frontier, where it is opened and the contents carried away.

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BROTHER-IN-LAW OF SENATOR SHORTRIDGE GUILTY OF MURDER

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Discussion of Possible Successor to Pius.

Leader to Fight Political Battles Is Needed Rather than a Saint.

ROME, Oct. 14.—In spite of the fact that the pope is enjoying perfect health the matter of a possible result of the next conclave, whenever it does occur, is being discussed even among the cardinals themselves, and this with no desire to anticipate the election or to be disrespectful to the pontiff. The feeling among the cardinals has changed greatly since August, 1903, and today there exists a tendency quite opposite to that which triumphed three years ago. In view of the Vatican's experiences with Pius, the cry this time will be not merely for a religious pope, but a political pope; not for a saint, but for a statesman.

Even the strongest opponents of three years ago of Cardinal Rampolla now favor his election. Rampolla failed in 1903 chiefly because he was vetoed by Cardinal Puzos in the name of Austria, speaking for the entire triple alliance.

Although the pope has suppressed the right of veto arrogated by certain powers, the reason which induced the triple alliance to oppose Cardinal Rampolla still exists and the church is today less able to afford displacing the central figure. Consequently there are rumors of an experiment with a fuyol pope, in spite of the disfavor of the Italians.

For the last four centuries, all the popes have been Italian. In this connection the recent election of Father Verzi to be general of the Jesuits, is considered symptomatic. Every one prophesied that the general would be an Italian, but finally a German was chosen.

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It may be of interest to the public to know that the firm is principally owned and controlled by Fred Ewing, J. A. McClurg, Jr. and W. M. McClurg, each owning about one-third of its capital stock. There are a few shares owned by persons in Fresno, but the above named persons are the active members of the firm.

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WEATHER

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Humidity 22
Wind, vel., miles per hour 5
Maximum temperature 86
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Fair Monday.

LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

New crop
California Figs
At Hollands.
Dr. Willson has returned.
Tally tags at the Republican.
Miss Seibert, florist, 1150 I St.
Potted plants, Miss Parsons, 1017 Fresno street.
Squidua Hotel and Cafe, regular Sunday dinner \$1, with wine.
Flower and Sweet Pea Seed at Hubbs Parson Co. H and Tulare Sts.
Monte Vista orange colony, half mile Lindsay. For prices see Collier Co.

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30 M. layer taintin top wraps for sale. See McAllister, Monarch Fruit Co. Main 195.
Read the University Extension Center announcement in the advertising columns of this paper.

The act lecture of the Spanish history series by Don E. Smith will be illustrated with stereoscopic views.
Two days were arrested at an early hour yesterday morning by Cover Van Meter and lodged in jail for disturbing the peace. Their names were given as F. Yamata and K. Tannaka.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Rada, who died at the Fresno hotel last Friday, will be held from 9 o'clock until 11 o'clock this morning at a Requiem high mass will be offered up.

A rummage sale by the ladies of the Christian church, beginning Oct. 15. Donations gratefully received. Please phone Mrs. G. M. Boles, Mrs. Frank Helms, Mrs. A. C. McKeever and Mrs. L. O. Stephens.

PERSONAL MENTION.

E. Janicki of Pasadena is a guest of the Hughes.

G. W. Mason of Norwalk, O., is at the Sequoia.

Mrs. Martin Russell of Chicago is at the Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost of Porterville are at the Hughes.

W. K. Louis of Dayton, O., is registered at the Grand Central.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Royston of San Francisco are at the Hughes.

H. S. Jenkinson of Philadelphia is a guest of the Grand Central.

F. Bergan and wife are registered at the Sequoia from Sacramento.

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Herman Becker and family of New York are guests of the Sequoia.

Jack Zekind of Madras and H. J. Jacobson of Selma are at the Grand Central.

Mrs. T. Castle of Stockton and Miss May Faber of San Francisco are at the Sequoia.

Clyde Reddick of San Francisco was in town yesterday. He returned on the Owl this morning.

C. A. Juggals, James McKee and W. H. H. James of Boston are at the Hughes and will take in Fresno before leaving.

T. W. Stange of Porterville has just returned from Sacramento on a business trip. He is a guest of the Grand Central.

G. Dahlgren, Minneapolis; E. R. Allen, Greenville, Tenn.; E. M. Cavanaugh and John A. Pettit of New London, Wis., are at the Ogle. They are going to leave in Redley.

ORDINATION SERVICE FOR MADERA MISSIONARY

Rev. William J. Clark Given Commission in Foreign Field.

At the first Baptist church of Madera yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, an ecclesiastical council was held for the ordination of Rev. William J. Clark. The council was composed of Rev. Madison Slaughter of Porterville, moderator; William Harvey, Sr., of Fresno, secretary; Rev. Lily Enos, Rev. S. C. Enos, W. L. Williams, H. Webb and F. E. Smith of Madera; Rev. A. D. Smith of Fresno, Rev. J. L. Matthews of Del Rey; Mrs. M. C. Bush of Clovis, and Rev. T. G. Bronson of the Baptist college of California at Oakland.

The candidate, Rev. William J. Clark, was called upon after prayer by Rev. J. L. Matthews. In spite of his experience in church work, as well as his views of church doctrine and polity. The council then examined and cross-examined the candidate, whose replies were definite and satisfactory.

The council then retired to an adjoining room where they held a lengthy, closed session, after which they brought in the following resolution:

"Having heard with great interest the statement of Brother William J. Clark before this council, as to his Christian experience and call to the gospel ministry and his views of scriptural doctrine, we most heartily recommend his ordination. We have been especially impressed with his spirit of conversation and high sense of obedience to the call of God in his life work as a missionary in the foreign field."

The committee on ordination service, consisting of Rev. Lily Enos, F. E. Smith and Rev. A. D. Smith, was instructed to carry this motion into effect and the report of the committee was adopted. At 7 o'clock the ordination service was held and the Rev. Madison Slaughter preached the sermon of ordination, taking as his subject, "The Great Commission."

LANGDON TO SPEAK HERE WEDNESDAY

According to yesterday's San Francisco Examiner, Langdon will speak in Fresno next Wednesday. There is no local organization behind Langdon in this city.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The marine hospital service has been advised of the appearance of three new cases of yellow fever at Havana, one at Cienfuegos and one at Guines.

JUDGE COOPER IN TOWN ON ELECTIONEERING TRIP

Has the Endorsement of the Bar of San Francisco and Santa Clara.

Judge James A. Cooper, brother of Dr. J. C. Cooper, spent yesterday in Fresno in the interests of his candidacy for presiding justice of the appellate court of the first district, which includes Fresno county. Judge Cooper has important property interests in Fresno. About a year ago he bought the Grand Central hotel property from Fulton G. Berry.

Judge Cooper is one of the best-known jurists of the state and he is making his race for the appellate bench with the unanimous endorsement of the Bar Association of San Francisco and Santa Clara counties. For six years Judge Cooper was a Supreme Court commissioner and when the commission was abolished and the appellate court was created he was appointed by Governor Pardee as one of the judges. Judge Cooper is running on the Democratic ticket, his opponent being Judge Carroll Cook of San Francisco.

FIRST SERMON YESTERDAY

Rev. Lyman E. Rockwell at Methodist Church.

Righteousness Brings Financial Success to the Business Man, He Says.

"The Psalm of Life" was the subject of the sermon of the Rev. Lyman Rockwell at the Methodist church last evening. Yesterday was the first day of Mr. Rockwell's service at the church. There was quite a large audience present to hear the new minister.

The principal point of his sermon was the effect of righteousness on the financial success of the business man. He said that there was enough instruction in this psalm to point out the right path to all, even should all the rest of the Bible be destroyed. No one is expected to spend his whole time in prayer, in singing praises of the Lord and in ministering to humanity, but just as much good can be accomplished in business life by dealing with men in an honest and straightforward way. Prosperity will come to the man who is honest in business affairs, reverses his creator, and does right for right's sake.

Now is a time of extreme prosperity in this country. Business is embarrassed because of its own growth and the ordinary channels of commerce and transportation are insufficient to handle the trade. Business is unable to secure cars and, when this is the case, it is evident that there is an unusual state of affairs existing. There are exceptions to this general prosperity, of course, and this is due to the general state of religion in the United States, with its exceptions.

Among the heathens of the East, those who are compelled to submit large sacrifices to wooden idols, there is famine, poverty and wretchedness in contrast to our state of prosperity, plenty and happiness. Especially in India, overcrowded by its 290,000,000 of people there has been famine, plague, and outbreaks for so long that the people are accustomed to the conditions of misery. The masses of people there live or exist on three cents a day. But those who have been converted into Christianity are steadily gaining in position and instead of living as wild beasts they are becoming men. They have ceased giving exorbitant sacrifices to the heathen idols and by rendering moderate aid to the evangelical church, to which they belong, they are progressing and learning how to make the most of themselves.

At times, men think that notwithstanding their upright lives, they are being unsuccessful. They may be beset with business losses and family sorrows, but these do not mean that they have been deserted and persecuted as a nation will bring success. Job was placed exactly in this position. He had thousands of sheep and oxen and hundreds of camels, each of which meant a fortune, to carry his produce over the desert. No eye could measure his vast fields and he had armies of servants and retainers. He was the Rockefeller of the East. But one day the Simians fell upon his oxen and drove them away. In the same day his sheep were destroyed in a prairie fire and the Chaldeans stole his 3,000 camels. Ere the servant had finished telling him of these losses, he was informed that his whole family were killed at one time by a terrible hurricane from the desert south. This poor man, bereft of his family, and without a home or property, was not discouraged by the results but bowed in prayer and said, "The Lord hath given; the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the Lord." He set out again to regain his fortune and succeeded.

Even the most holy do not regard business as uncleanly and the successful, upright business man has done as much for the sake of humanity by setting a good example, as if he had spent his whole life in his cloisters.

After the sermon was completed the members of the church went forward to become acquainted with Mr. Rockwell and his wife, who arrived here yesterday. On Friday night a reception will be tendered to the minister and his wife, by the members of the church.

DUCK SEASON OPENS TODAY

"Where's my gun oil, and what's in the thunder did you do with that ramrod? A man can never find anything around his own house when he wants it. These words were heard on every side last night, for the old sports in Fresno are going out today to celebrate the opening of duck season in proper style.

It was to be the early duck today, for he will surely get something more striking than the worm. A big party composed of Dr. Mikey, Flynn, Frank Nelson and others, leaves tonight for the swamps after ducks and all the gun stores in town are doing a rushing business.

The life values this year, combined with unusual flood conditions on the West Side, predict a fine year for ducks and there will undoubtedly be more ducks and more hunters in the swamp this year than there have been in a decade.

MEN'S MEETING OF Y. M. C. A.

E. W. Lindsay Addresses Association Young Men.

"Character and Success" Was His Theme—Dormitory Kitchen.

A large number of young men attended the services yesterday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. and were addressed by E. W. Lindsay, vice president of the board of directors of the association. The encouraging feature of the meeting was that a number of those present were those who do not belong to the institution. Mr. Lindsay's address was very good and straight to the point on the subject of "Character and Success."

He pointed out that of all the things that a man apparently possesses—land, houses, money and influence—the only thing that is really his own forever is his character. This character it not necessarily good, but it may be bad, and in any case it cannot be thrown off or lost.

This character is not formed in a day or picked up all at once, but it is the outgrowth of habit, and the kind of character is dependent upon whether it is formed by good or bad habits. A man learns to swear, steal or drink first from impulse and thereafter he gains the consent of his will to repeat the action, and finally he takes it for granted that it is not necessary for him to consult his will, and does it without a second thought. This is the way all habits are formed, whether good or evil, and these habits are the little parts that make the character, which is the man. In this way the slightest impulse of the moment may be the key to the whole life of a man and his discretion as to the expediency of a certain action may mould his entire future.

Many people define success as the achievement of that which is attempted. There are two men of distinctly different types who have succeeded in two different ways. When Croesus lived there was no man on earth who did not envy him and acknowledge him as the greatest man on earth. But the only thing that has survived the death of Croesus is the fame of his wealth and not a vestige of success remains in the form of the betterment of humanity. The other is the man of Galilee who was looked down upon, persecuted and scorned by his fellow men. Even his disciples deserted him at his death. But now there is no church, no hospital, no school that is not the very outgrowth of that life, which was deemed as a failure during its existence. Every true man now seeks to follow this life and keep the same reverence for the father and perfect understanding of fellow men.

In both of these cases the success of the man has been due to that man's definition of success and his habits which developed his character. It is these principles of faith in God, in oneself and all mankind, hope in the betterment of humanity, and love for fellow men, that go to make up the character, which is the man.

The young men decided to hold a dormitory meeting in the future and Clinton Miller, who is in charge of the Sunday meetings, announced that on next Sunday a lady evangelist will address the meeting.

The cooperative kitchen for the boys of the dormitory will start this morning. About fifteen members are in the club and they will all sit down to breakfast this morning for the first time under the management of the new club.

BLUE RIBBONS MEET DEFEAT AT MERCED

The Blue Ribbons were defeated by the Merced team yesterday at that town by the score of 5 to 4. An error by one of the Blue Ribbons outfielders in the fifth inning was responsible for four runs and lost the game to the local team. The Kuhn brothers tossed the battery for the Blue Ribbons. Walter Kuhn who pitched, struck out nine men. It was found for seven hits and walked two.

George Johnson was on the slab for Merced and was found for six hits and struck out seven men. He walked four men. A remarkable stop of a line drive from Stapp's bat by Grady in the last inning was the feature of the game.

The Blue Ribbons are looking for more games. All communications should be addressed to Walter B. Holland, 315 K Street.

DEL S. LAWRENCE CO. WILL PRODUCE "FRIENDS"

Tonight the Del S. Lawrence company will produce the celebrated Eastern success, "Friends," a play written by Edwin Milton Royle. The play abounds in brilliant comedy and emotional scenes. The series are held in New York and the story is one of absorbing interest. Mr. Lawrence will play the part of Jack Walker, a patented body of the company, who is the leading lady of the company, the rest of the company are cast in roles suited to their histrionic ability. Seats are selling for all performances.

"SLAVES OF RUSSIA" DRAWS IMMENSE HOUSE

Portrayal of Scenes and Conditions of White Czar Attract Breathless Interest.

Fresno playgoers turned out en masse last night to attend the first presentation in this city of the Del S. Lawrence company, the Barton being packed to more than its seating accommodation. The piece which led off the week's series was a stirring melodrama called "The Slaves of Russia," and its success may be measured by the intense interest with which the story unfolded itself, together with the showers of applause which filled in specially appealing portions of the play. As the name indicates, the "Slaves of Russia" portrays the life and conditions of the White Czar, from palace to peasant, and paints a realistic picture of Russia as it is, and as it was in the times from which the scenes are drawn. The cast opens with the studio of the star character, Ivan Kozvich, a talented slave, who rose from his conditions of poverty and pushed his genius from the depths of feudalism to the notice of the past masters. The slave was Del S. Lawrence the leading man, and as a pleasing set-off to the character was Mr. Grey, an American artist, who in the form of Harrington J. Wheeler, another light of the company, betrays the slave in his upward struggles for recognition and liberty. Mr. Lawrence possesses a striking stage presence and a clear, full delivery, with nothing thrifty or starchy in his voice or enunciation. Of a fine commanding figure, he showed up to excellent advantage in the various costumes and carried the later pretension of his part out with lifelike ability.

In the other scenes of the east were well presented scenes of the village of Sitovak, the palace of Princess Loliaki, the pottery and the tower. The last, by the way, was perhaps the most notable part of the play, and came at the conclusion as a fitting end in a remarkably natural representation of the real tower of Sitovak, if one exists.

Throughout the entire piece, in the four acts, every scene and every character was fraught with strong human interest, and as something unique in its way, the "Slaves of Russia" gave a melodrama of the strong, sterling order loved by playgoers in preference to the lighter vein of drama and burlesque.

Mr. Lawrence is supported by a company of artists who have been designed to parts that seem centered around them. Everyone seemed to be the right man or woman in the right place, and the marked favor with which the first piece of the series was received last night augurs well for what will follow on subsequent nights during the stay of the company.

BOILER EXPLODES KILLING THREE

Government Boat Wrecked in Lock on the Ohio River.

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 13.—A boiler of the government boat Slackwater exploded today, completely wrecking the vessel, killing three men, wounding six others, and creating havoc in lock No. 4 on the Ohio river, where the boat was lying alongside the steamer when the accident occurred. The derelict boat lying alongside the steamer and some construction work being done at the dam were damaged. The dead:

JOHN BRADY, STEVE SUTEL, ALBERT BISHOP, superintendent of government work at the dam. Two negroes, workmen, about the boat are thought to have been drowned.

MEXICAN WHEAT CROP IS SHORT

The conclusion of the wheat harvest in Mexico shows that the crop is far short of expectations, says the Mexican Investor, which states that it will be necessary to again remove the duty on American wheat so that the cereal can be imported in sufficient quantities to supply the Mexican mills. The duty on American wheat was removed at the beginning of this year and was replaced in 1905. It is said that the Mexican mill only will be able to supply the Mexican mills only until November. The importation of American wheat during the past year ended June 30 last, was less than for many years previous. The wheat brought into Mexico in the twelve months had a value of more than \$2,000,000 gold. The corn crop of Mexico will also fall short of expectations this year, and a big importation of American corn is certain. American corn to the value of about \$1,000,000 gold was imported in the last fiscal year.

CONVICT SENATOR ADDRESSES PRISONERS

Emmons Delivered Masterful Speech on Subject, "There Is a Living God."

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 14.—Former State Senator E. J. Emmons, who is under sentence for accepting a bribe while a member of the senate, but who is in the county jail pending the settlement of his bill of exceptions, delivered an interesting lecture before the military prisoners in the jail today, taking for his subject: "There is a living God."

Emmons is an orator of some note, and he bound his auditors with the spell of his eloquence. He told a masterly story in a masterful way, and during its delivery a dropping pin would have made a noise.

FATAL QUARREL OVER PIGEONS

MISSOULA, Mont., Oct. 14.—Because Paul Binalde, a rancher near Clinton, Mont., would not keep his pigeons out of Frank Port's grain fields, a quarrel ensued and Binalde was shot and severely wounded. Port was brought to Missoula and placed in jail. Binalde will live.

FATAL COLLISION IN FRANCE

PARIS, Oct. 11.—Three persons were killed and twenty injured in a railroad collision today at Epieron. The train was standing at the station, when a locomotive dashed into it.

Candidate Gillett in San Diego

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 14.—Representative James S. Gillett took two long automobile rides about the city and vicinity today. He leaves for Los Angeles on the Dal tonight.

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DIED.

FERGUSON—In Aubrey Valley, near Pine Ridge, October 12, 1906, James Ferguson, a native of California, aged 54 years.

ELLIS—In Fresno, October 14, 1906, A. G. Ellis, a native of New York, aged 77 years.

BIRTHS.

KIRCH—In Fresno, October 14, 1906, to the wife of Lloyd Kirch, a daughter.

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A CANADIAN BANK CLOSED

Losses Placed at Million and a Quarter.

Stock Operations of General Manager Responsible for the Shortage.

MONTREAL, Oct. 13.—A heavy run on the Montreal branch of the Ontario bank developed today as a result of the publication of the fact that the bank was alleged to be in difficulties and that arrangements had been made by the bank of Montreal to take over its business. Depositors, however, were paid in full, and N. W. King, local manager, when asked for a statement on the situation said:

"We opened this morning as usual and, as you see, we are doing a big business. I have no instructions from Toronto other than to continue business as usual, and we shall pay our depositors whatever they demand until they are perfectly satisfied."

TORONTO, Oct. 13.—There was a slight run today on the Ontario bank which kept up until the bank closed at noon. There was no disorder, however, and the announcement when the doors opened that the bank of Montreal had assumed all liabilities having a quieting effect.

The bank of Montreal, it is announced, will act merely as liquidator of the Ontario bank. The total assets are said to be in round figures about \$7,000,000, while the total liabilities are \$10,000,000. A large part of these, sets, however, take the form of mortgages and other securities which have

a year or more to run. It is doubtful whether the stockholders will get more than 25 or 30 cents for their stock. The president of the bank in a circular issued today says:

"The difficulties of the bank have been occasioned by the wrongful and unauthorized stock operations of the general manager, only recently discovered."

The losses of the institution are estimated at \$1,250,000.

FRENCH OPINION OF HOHENLOHE'S BOOK

Emperor William Is Commended, But Some Dark Secret Motive Is Suspected.

PARIS, Oct. 13.—The revolution resulting from the publication in Germany of the late Chancellor Von Hohenlohe's "Recollections" continues to make a great stir in France, on account of the splendidly thrown upon German policies toward the republic, and today, in connection with the controversy tomorrow of the Battle of Jena, which opened the gates of Berlin to the victorious French army, the newspapers here are filled with articles on the subject.

The general verdict is that Emperor William's determination to dismiss Prince Bismarck for consulting infidelity to Germany's ally, Austria, was highly honorable to the Emperor, but nevertheless entailed grave consequences. The Republic's French points out that Bismarck's object was to repair the bad effects of his policy at the Berlin congress by insisting on a renewal of the secret "entente" arrangement with Russia previously existing, despite the Austrian alliance.

Emperor William, the paper adds, threw Russia into the arms of France, thus becoming responsible for the diplomatic situation of which he now complains and which he vainly attempted to modify by his bold stroke of policy at Tientsin.

The prevailing opinion here is that there is some important secret behind the publication of Prince Hohenlohe's "Recollections," but there is a disposition to attribute it less to court intrigue than to a maneuver to advance the anti-monarchical movement by discarding personal rule in Germany.

LONDON MONEY LENDER'S PRINCELY BEQUESTS

"Sam" Lewis' Widow Left Fifteen Millions of His Fortune in Charitable Bequests.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—By the death today of Mrs. "Sam" Lewis-Hill, widow of "Sam" Lewis, the well known money lender, about \$15,000,000 will be distributed in charitable bequests.

In accordance with the will of "Sam" Lewis, who died in 1901, his whole fortune was left to his widow for life, besides which she was given outright \$5,000,000, much of which presumably will go to her second husband, Lieutenant Hill, of the Scots Guards. King's hospital fund comes in for a large sum. Besides a specific amount of \$250,000, the hospital gets about \$2,000,000 out of the residue of the estate.

About \$7,000,000 goes to establishing dwellings for the poor; the sum of \$750,000 is devoted to the relief work of the Jewish poor and Jewish hospitals and colleges; and \$875,000 goes to other hospitals while a number of other charities get good legacies.

Lewis was the most famous man in England in his business. His transactions were enormous and his clients were among the highest personages in the land. He was shrewd and hard, but absolutely honest. He used to say his motto was "I lend to the Lord and give to the poor," and it is now claimed that his princely bequests seem to prove the truth of his words.

DISHONEST PATROLMAN IN SAN FRANCISCO

Accused of Taking \$120 in Bills from Wounded Man on Way to Hospital.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—John Law, a patrolman of the San Francisco police department, is under arrest on a charge of robbery. Law is accused of having robbed John Lovejoy, a Sacramento bartender who was shot early this morning in a quarrel over a woman. Lovejoy was unconscious when removed to the Park Emergency hospital by Law and another policeman. After recovering consciousness, Lovejoy discovered that a roll of bills, amounting to \$620, had been reduced to \$500.

Dr. Hill, of the hospital, started an investigation, and Law, among others, was searched, in spite of objections he made. A number of bills were found in Law's possession and he was formally accused of the robbery by Chief of Police Quinn, who stripped him of his star and ordered him under arrest.

Law had a good record in the department, of which he has been a member for twelve years. He recently acted as bailiff in Judge Conlan's department of the police court.

The police are searching for a second mysterious automobile, supposed to belong to Lovejoy, which appeared in St. Petersburg recently. Several anarchists who arrived here Friday from abroad, were arrested. One carried thirty pounds of dynamite in his luggage.

Heavy Snowfall in Colorado.

CHRYSLER CREEK, Colo., Oct. 12.—Twelve inches of snow fell in this district today and was drifted badly by a high wind.

Greater New York Voters.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Greater New York registration today, 158,236; total for three days, 511,783; in 1905, 495,903.

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E. Arenal, road work

Peter Barthelet, road work

Peter Denar, road work

Henry Diener, road work

Conrad Kahn, road work

Henry Millar, road work

Fred Millar, road work

E. D. Utterback, road work

C. E. Strivens, road work

C. Tindall, road work

J. H. Elder, road work

M. T. Lookhart, road work

W. Carroll, road work

Jack Spracklin, road work

A. M. Storms, road work

Henry Timmons, road work

W. J. McNeil, road work

M. Jorgensen, road work

Sam Brill, road work

E. W. Jagger, road work

E. W. Hanner, road work

Allen Melton, road work

L. L. Smith, road work

M. K. Pickrell, road work

Frank King, road work

M. B. Barwell, road work

Chas. Hudson, road work

G. Simoni, road work

Henry Frey, road work

J. J. McSwegen, road work

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M. J. Barum, road work

W. H. Perry, road work

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L. Baldrill, road work

D. Ginnini, road work

B. Barlow, road work

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Joe Russell, road work

Patrick Donnelly, road work

W. T. James, road work

Andy Cummings, road work

G. Brundini, road work

Road District No. 5

Wm. Richardson, road work

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A. Hansen, road work

J. S. Miller, road work

General Fund

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General Fund

John Fairweather, Justice fees

E. W. Prokter, Justice fees

C. B. Watson, Justice fees

L. S. Beall, Justice fees

G. W. Smith, Justice fees

W. B. Shannon, Justice fees

G. H. Banta, Justice fees

G. W. Bayle, Constable fees

W. H. Puleston, Constable fees

W. D. Priest, Constable fees

A. M. Powell, Constable fees

A. E. Mason, Constable fees

W. H. Dumas, Constable fees

E. E. Davis, Constable fees

G. W. Bayle, cash expended

W. H. Puleston, cash expended

J. W. Dumas, cash expended

A. E. Mason, cash expended

Joe D. Price, cash expended

Claimant	Service	Amount
J. H. Jensen, road work	19.00	
E. D. Murgrove, road work	30.00	
T. C. Road	37.00	
Road District No. 6		
Bollin & Mathews, supplies	80.25	
J. W. Suip, livery	3.50	
Scott McKay, cash expended	3.80	
Geo. D. Jewett, chairman	3.00	
J. Tomlin, road work	3.00	
S. M. Andrews, road work	15.00	
Ed. Caruthers, road work	31.25	
John Swanson, road work	10.50	
J. S. Houghton, road work	32.00	
Geo. L. Traber, road work	48.75	
O. D. Williams, road work	8.50	
R. Reese, road work	6.00	
G. H. Johnston, road work	24.00	
J. M. Brattin, road work	40.00	

Salary Fund

C. W. Fisher, Board Education

Omer Abbott, Board Education

C. W. Edwards, Board Education

R. McCourt, Board Education

O. N. Fremont, Board Education

H. E. Burleigh, Supervisor

Geo. W. Heall, Supervisor

H. D. Johnson, Supervisor

Thos. Martin, Supervisor

W. D. Mitchell, Supervisor

General Fund

J. M. Brooks, Horticultural

missioner

C. B. Harkness, Horticultural

missioner

F. C. Schell, Horticultural

missioner

F. C. Schell, use of horse and

buggy

T. N. Sample, County Physician

T. N. Sample, salaries

Geo. H. Bland, Supl. Hospital

A. M. Hickey, secretary

Henry Smiley, engineer

E. F. Fitzgerald, engineer

G. L. Long, Health Officer

R. E. L. Cobb, Game Warden

A. B. Cowan, Coroner

W. M. Hinton, Night Watch

H. J. Sider, County Farm

J. J. Loren, Bee Inspector

J. H. Patterson, Janitor

J. H. Henderson, Supt. Park

H. E. Egge, County Engineer

Emmett Hargett, Clerk Work

Oliverette C. Stewart, Clerical

Work

G. H. Bland, cash expended

H. E. Burleigh, cash expended

F. C. Schell, cash expended

W. G. Carter, labor

A. G. Green, labor

B. Newton, labor

A. Lee, labor

C. Consohale, labor

P. R. Fanning, bare of oil

Fresno Orphanage, maintenance

Road District No. 1

Fresno Agricultural Works, supplies

W. S. Williams, supplies

Kutner-Goldstein Co., supplies

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J. Daniel, lumber

Geo. Larsen, blacksmithing

Kreg Lauritzen Co., blacksmithing

Harry Kishling, road work

B. Hildreth, road work

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Fresh Ginger Bread, 2 pieces 15c
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Lily Glass Starch, pkg. 7c
Gold Dust Washing Powder, 2 1/2 lbs. 21c
Imported Castile Soap, bar 17c
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Today's Meat News

Our meats are as wholesome and as fine as any that can be procured in the state. The beef we sell is personally selected. We use such tremendous quantities that naturally we get the first pick.

That's why you always get such tender and juicy meats here. These prices indicate how much we can save you:

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The regents of the University of California organized University Extension as a separate department of the work of the University in 1902.

By its University methods of work and study are brought to the people and the opportunity is given for intellectual improvement and advancement in knowledge.

For this year's work the local center selected a history course of lectures on "The Rise and Fall of the Spanish Power in Europe and America," by Don E. Smith. The course comprises:

1. Spain—The Land and the People.
2. The Rise of the Spanish Monarchy: the Reign of Ferdinand and Isabella: the First Settlements in America.
3. The Emperor Charles the Fifth: Spain as a European Power: the Conquest of Central and South America.
4. The Reign of Philip II.: Spain as the Champion of Catholicism: the Defeat of the Spanish Armada.
5. The Extent and Administration of Spanish America During the Sixteenth Century.
6. The Decline of the Spanish Power in the Seventeenth Century.
7. The Golden Age of Literature and Art in Spain.
8. The Spanish Monarchy in the Eighteenth Century: the Reform of Charles III.
9. Spanish America in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries.
10. The End of the Old Spanish Monarchy: the Napoleonic Empire in Spain; the Peninsula War.
11. The Spanish American Revolution: the War for Independence.
12. Spain and Spanish America in the Nineteenth Century.

Two of the Above Lectures will be Illustrated with Stereopticon Views

Mr. Don E. Smith lectured in Fresno, October 5th, proving himself to be a thorough master of his subject, and a clear, forceful, and pleasing speaker.

Membership tickets in the center, entitling the holder to attend these lectures and to take class studies, if desired, may be had for \$2.

About 75 tickets have been sold. To insure success of the center 75 more must be sold within the next five days.

Tickets may be had of:
C. L. McLane, City Superintendent of Schools
Tel. Main 243.
Dr. W. P. Miller, Garibaldi Building, Telephone Main 667.

Wm. Glass, Republican Business Office, Telephone Main 97.

KILLED BY HIS TEAM

James Ferguson Falls from Wagon and Is Crushed.

Dead Body Found Day After Death By Little Son Who Thinks Father Sleeps.

James Ferguson, a rancher who came to town on Saturday, was killed by falling from his wagon at about noon on that day on the main road near Aubrey avenue, on the new Tool road, at about 20 miles from this city. The remains were discovered yesterday afternoon by a son of A. S. Sharp, and the little son of the dead man, James, who was coming to town. The boy saw his father's team alongside the road, the horses standing quietly on the spot of the accident. The horses evidently halted when their master fell beneath the wheels, and obediently waited for the driver's signal to start again. The little boy ran forward, exclaiming: "O, there's father lying on the road. He must be asleep, or maybe he's taken too much drink again." The little fellow rushed to the still form of his father and tried to raise him to a sitting position, but finding the hands cold and clammy, and the face discolored with exposure in the sun, started back again. His companion told him gently that the man was dead.

The father of young Sharp came to town when he learned of the accident, and notified Deputy Coroner Dean, who started off late last night with Mr. Sharp, carrying a coffin for the interment of the dead man in a grave near the spot. Mr. Dean will investigate the circumstances of the death while there, and the verdict of death will be determined afterwards.

It appears from the statement of S. A. Sharp, who brought the news to town, that Ferguson had evidently been drinking heavily before leaving Fresno for his home. He had probably been intoxicated when he started out, and took a supply of liquor with him. What followed afterwards will probably never be known, but it would seem that the deceased dived off on his head and the team went instinctively home. At the point of the road where he fell from his seat the road is rough and uneven, and the wagon no doubt jolted him off in passing over a rut by the unguided horses. The animals knew, in some way, that something was wrong, as they only went a few yards after the wagon passed over their master. Although an abundance of pasture grass was lying on both sides of them, the horses stood in the center of the road all day and night, and until the following day when found, without attempting to go off in search of food. Ferguson is well known in this city. He was divorced from his wife who lived near him with their two little sons, aged 9 and 11 years. Although he was in frequent trouble over his drinking habits, and had been in the police court more than once, he was well liked by his neighbors and the news of his death was learned with deep regret. He was a native of this state and was 53 or 54 years of age.

SUNDERLAND TO RESIGN

City Trustee Says Life's Too Short Anyhow.

May Be No Quorum for Tonight's Meeting—Measures to Come Up.

City Trustee A. E. Sunderland has announced his intention of resigning from the Board of City Trustees. "I have not time to devote to my official duties," he said last night. "I cannot please everybody, and besides, life is too short to be a city trustee."

Mr. Sunderland has written out his resignation and will probably be presented at the next meeting of the city trustees. It has not been placed in the hands of the mayor yet, but Mr. Sunderland says that it soon will be.

This is not the first time that there has been talk of the resignation of Trustee Sunderland. Several months ago his resignation was placed in the hands of the mayor, and it was upon the urgent request of Mayor Lyon that he withdrew it.

It seems likely that there will be no quorum present at tonight's meeting of the city trustees. Mayor Lyon and several of the sports in the city administration will start for the swamps today to celebrate the opening of the duck season, and from present indications there may not be enough present to legally transact business.

If there is a quorum present several important matters will come up for consideration. The ordinance to permit again the use of cigar slot machines in Fresno, which was passed to print by a vote of 7 to 1 at the meeting of the trustees two weeks ago, will come up for final passage. Since the last meeting of the trustees such a storm of public disapproval has gone up from the citizens of Fresno that the majority of trustees have looked more closely into the slot machine question and upon fuller investigation reached a conclusion not favorable to the gambling device.

A petition signed by a large number of business men and citizens of Fresno will be presented by Judge M. K. Harris when the matter does come up to make doubly sure of the defeat of the measure.

Then there is the protest of the owners of the Abbey street property which it is proposed to assess for sidewalks. The work was ordered done over the protest of the owners, after having been put off from last spring and it is likely that the trustees will not change their decision.

When the next meeting of the city trustees is called, Mayor Lyon will announce his changes in the personnel of the various committees of the board. City Engineer Hoxie had requested the removal of Trustee Myers from the board of the sewer committee because the latter demanded the removal of the city engineer from office, and the mayor has announced his intention of making

REALTY MEN RETURN HOME

Well Pleased With Fresno Convention.

Retiring President Ferrier Says Success of Federation Is Assured.

Most of the real estate men who were here attending the California Federation, left early yesterday morning for their homes. A few were so well pleased with Fresno that they remained over and took trips to the country. They were all well pleased with the convention and the election of Francis Ferrier, the retiring president of the federation, was particularly well pleased with the Fresno convention.

"The doubt of the future success of the California State Realty Federation," he said, "is now entirely removed. Of course the great strength coming from the San Francisco board joining the State Federation virtually completes the organization. The federation will do all in its power to aid in the rebuilding of San Francisco. I believe that if the government of the city of San Francisco was in the hands of the men comprising the membership of the San Francisco Realty Board the people of this city would have perfect confidence in them, and present conditions would be very different. Its president, Joseph B. Howell, would make an ideal mayor."

"As to the prospects of the rebuilding of San Francisco, one has only to size up the different elements that are combined in this end—the federal and state governments, three overland railroads, all the leading banks, including the Old Ibernia, which not only passed through the earthquake and fire, but withstood a run that would have tried the bank of England, and is still doing business at the old stand. It is one of the permanent landmarks of San Francisco. I have never done a dollar's worth of business with the bank and am not even acquainted with any one connected with it, so you can see I have no personal object in speaking of it in this way, except to show that it is a very good sign that San Francisco will be rebuilt better and greater than ever."

SOCIALIST REPLY TO A CRITICISM

J. F. Gallman Opines that John Braves Does Not Know What He Is Talking About.

Editor Republican:—An article which appeared in your paper Sunday, October 7th, headed "Socialism Will Not Remedy Evils," signed by John Braves, seems to call for a reply.

It is indeed surprising that at this advanced state of civilization and education, such dense ignorance and disregard to truth is possible.

Mr. John Braves might be a good critic on other things; he might be able to judge some things correctly, but when he attempts to criticize the philosophy of socialism by ridicule and falsehoods, he misses his mark. He tells us that after listening to Mr. Mills' lecture Saturday night he came to the inevitable conclusion that "Socialism in spite of all its utopian hallucination will only create an absolute nirvana in which all individuality is lost etc." Now, Mr. Braves must certainly admit that Mr. Mills gave a thorough and satisfactory explanation of what constitutes true individuality, and how much stronger and better it could be expressed under the new system.

Then our critic says: "I fail to understand how a socialistic government can control the supply and demand when they are utterly helpless to control nature." Our poor critic fails to see how a socialistic government could hold its equilibrium under violent elemental visitations. It's a pity that man can be so superficial or prejudiced toward a perfect, natural truth. It is self-evident that the greater the organization, the more secure and protected its members are. Where a government is founded upon the imperishable rock of justice, for the purpose of securing and establishing the absolute welfare of its citizens, regardless of birth or occupation, it is plain that no matter what calamity would befall any part of the country no one would be suffering, because the monetary loss would be immediately replaced by the great surplus in the hands of the government. Indeed, socialism is the only known remedy for immediate relief, as its application could not be otherwise but unselfish without any possibility of original graft as unfortunately is now the case.

Our critic still loves war, the most damnable curse ever practiced by man, and thinks the soldier as such needed a religious and social education. The existence and continuance of strife and finds that wholesale murder by uniformed men is needful.

What is the use of sending missionaries into the darkest of Africa or China, while such people dwell in our midst? Indeed, such need reform are we entitled to be classed among the followers of Christ, whose strict commandment was "Love"—not war, murder and commercialism.

It is not true that socialists bitterly arraign capital or cruelly denounce the Republican and Democratic parties, except for those offenses or crimes which they would tolerate or encourage as a purely selfish interest in no fault with capital, but merely with the system which uses capital such abnormal and destructive power.

Mr. Braves tells you that when he desired information as to something better and more logical than the old parties stood for, he was told to look into a "literature of indestructible proportion." Whatever that means, I read it up, unless they told him to read up and study the subject.

J. F. GALLMAN.
Fresno, Oct. 13, 1906.

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such a change. All the committees will have to be re-arranged to make this change and there is considerable speculation as to whether or not any other trustees will accept the place vacated by Myers.

WILLIE HELM IS HOPEFUL

Says that He Will Not Spend Life in Prison.

Hints Trial Was Unfair and Says Witnesses Against Him Lied.

"I am confident that I will never spend the remainder of my life in jail," said Willie Helm, the 18-year-old boy convicted of the murder of W. J. Hayes on the 30th of October of last year, last night, for the first time, in an assurance that the Supreme court will hold that I should have never been tried in this county where there is so much prejudice against me, and in the second place, even if I should be sent to state prison for life, I will be pardoned in three or four years, for by that time my friends will have collected enough evidence to show the governor of the state that I was wrongly convicted."

Willie takes his conviction remarkably well and talks freely about the details of the famous case. "I got off easier than Elmer," he said, "I am sure that they will not hang Elmer on that evidence. The case was worked up against me with lies. I did not know what the witnesses for the prosecution were going to say or I could have had witnesses to prove that they were lying. That blacksmith, Williams, said that I took that gun to him in company with a boy named St. Smith some time last year. That is a lie and if I had had time to find St. Smith I could prove that I never had that gun. Why didn't they show my wheel that they took from our home? Why didn't they say something about those foot-prints in court?"

Elmer, his brother, aged 20, convicted last July and sentenced to hang for the same crime, says that he is not at all surprised at the verdict in his brother's case. "I have been separated from Bill ever since we were arrested," he said last night, "and I know practically nothing about the evidence in his case, except from hearsay. I was not surprised at the verdict, however, for I felt sure that the people in this county could not give us a fair trial. Bill got off easier than I did. But Bill never had that gun. I know that he didn't have it. Why didn't they believe the testimony of that man Lash? If he fixed the gun he ought to know it when he saw it. Bill had no chance from the moment that he went into the courtroom on the first day of the trial. No jury in this county would do anything else but convict us."

"But I do not believe that either of us will have to suffer for a crime which we did not commit. New evidence will be brought up and when we get a fair trial in another county both of us will be acquitted. There is lots of new evidence that can be dug up to show that we are innocent."

Both the boys are still hopeful that they will not have to suffer the fates that two juries have said they must suffer. Both repose the utmost confidence in their attorneys, Everts and Ewing. "I have had several suggestions made to me," said Elmer last night, "that I employ attorneys of note from other parts of the state, but I am sure that Everts and Ewing are doing all that can be done and I will stick by them."

NEW PITCHERS FOR FRESNO

Henderson and Whalen to Twirl for Fresno.

San Francisco Opens Here Tomorrow—Local Baseball Gossip.

Two deals were closed or partially closed yesterday which will give Fresno good pitching material for the rest of the season. Judge McCrellie, manager of the Portland team has agreed to loan Henderson to Fresno for the rest of the season and Jimmy Whalen, late of the Toronto Reds, has agreed to sign with Fresno.

Henderson was in Stockton yesterday, where he, Mike Mitchell and Donahue had gone to play with the state league team and Mike Fisher got his consent to the change over long distance telephone shortly before noon. Henderson is one of the best twirlers in the league and his appearance on the firing line will greatly strengthen the Raisin Eaters.

James Whalen, more familiarly known as "Chimney der Whale," is expected to do neat stunts from the Fresno firing line for the balance of the baseball season. The Whale has just finished the season with Toronto, where he, Mike Mitchell and Donahue had gone to play with the state league team and Mike Fisher got his consent to the change over long distance telephone shortly before noon. Henderson is one of the best twirlers in the league and his appearance on the firing line will greatly strengthen the Raisin Eaters.

Fitzgerald who has been confined to the hospital for the past week, is recovering and expects to be in the game again before the end of the week. Harry Walters pitched yesterday for four innings, and will be able to work occasionally.

With these men and McGregor and Hoag, Fresno will have a strong battery. Overall is expected here next Sunday. With the finding that Fresno has been doing lately, if she can get hold of these pitchers, she will be invincible.

Diamond Flash

Pearl Casey pulled off a funny stunt in the second inning of yesterday's second game. Warner had landed safe on Traeger's error and Carson had been hit by the pitcher. Lister sacrificed them both by a throw ball to Carwright which he threw to Casey to put out Pete at first. Casey pocketed the ball and went back to his position. Harry Walters went back to his box and went through the motion of winding up for a delivery. Warner got

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way off the third sack thinking that Walters had the ball and Pearl threw him out at third.

One of the most notable features of the playing of the Portlanders in the way that the players back up every play. Yesterday's second game, when Eagan flew high to center field with McLaughlin on first, McElfin overthrew that ball to third, but Carson threw behind Smith and prevented a run on that play by stopping the ball near the Fresno playing bench.

Portland has gone to Los Angeles where she will open tomorrow. San Francisco opens here tomorrow. The Raisin Eaters got away with one game when the Reds were here week before last and tied them in another and with their strengthened team ought to take a majority of this week's games.

WEBER COMPANY BEGINS THIRD WEEK AT NOVELTY

Tonight the Weber company will commence its third week's engagement at the Novelty with more people than heretofore. The bill for this week is said to be unusually good and patrons of this popular playhouse will have the opportunity to witness one of the strongest shows put on at this house for many days. The company now numbers twenty people as five more charming maidens joined the organization Saturday. John W. White, a comedian famous on the coast, is now in the cast and no doubt he will become a favorite as fast as the other members did. "Ship Ahoy" will be presented by the entire company with special scenery, catchy music and up to date comedy.

Frank Willard, the popular baritone, will render "When the Dees Gather Around the Hive" with illustrations. There will be a new reel of latest moving pictures, and the show in general will no doubt prove a decided success.

WANTED TO RUN THINGS AT RECREATION PARK

Pair of Young Bloods Are Arrested for Disturbing the Peace There.

William Kirkpatrick and Clinton Robinson were arrested last night by Officer Turner for creating a disturbance at Recreation park, and taken to the jail where they were held over night to cool off.

The two young men, who are respectably connected, refused to stop smoking in the skating rink when ordered and afterwards used vile language in the presence of ladies. Both were under the influence of liquor and seemed to want things their own way.

REBEKAHS GIVE SOCIAL SUCCESS OF THE SEASON

Saturday night's 10-cent social and entertainment of the Rebekahs was one of the most successful events of its kind ever given in fraternal circles this season. The affair was well attended by the members and their friends, and had a well planned program, as follows: Duets by Miss Ora Treves and Claud Timmins; recitation, Miss Clara Dureleigh; songs by Miss Gertrude Lee, Eddie Taur, and Warren Ashby; recitation, Miss Ethel Mudge; song, Miss Tremont; recitation, Mrs. Howard; solo, Eugene Harwell. The committee who attended to the details of the social was composed of Miss Lena Weiser, Mrs. Ada Bunney, Paul Bunney, Thomas O'Brien, Joseph Hill, Charles Ford, and Paul Woodman.

WOULD CONSOLIDATE PYTHIAN ORDERS

Supreme Chancellor Will Recommend Doing Away With the Present Divisions.

RICHMOND, Ind., Oct. 14.—Charles Shively of this city, supreme chancellor of the Knights of Pythias of the world, will recommend to the supreme council, which meets at New Orleans this week, that the supreme lodge take such action as will enable the two organizations of Rathbone Sisters and Pythian Sisterhood to consolidate, so that the recognition accorded by the supreme lodge to the Rathbone Sisters may be extended to the Pythian Sisters and all the members of these organizations, embracing the wives, sisters, daughters and mothers of members, may be brought into closer touch with the order.

INDIGESTION A CRIME.

Don't You Want a Keen Appetite and Perfect Health Once More.

Don't you want keen appetite, vigorous digestion, strong heart action, pure blood, nerves of steel, and natural strength and health restored to you once more?

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